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a remote system;
a storage medium; and
a local system in communication with said remote system, said local system comprising:
a reader that accesses said storage medium and reads information stored on said storage medium;
a detector in communication with said reader;
a remote accessor in communication with said detector; said remote accessor accessing said remote system when said detector is activated.

28. A system as recited in claim 27 wherein said detector is activated when said reader accesses said storage medium.

29. A system as recited in claim 27 wherein said storage medium comprises information stored on said storage medium and said detector is activated when said information stored on said storage medium is accessed.

30. A system as recited in claim 27 wherein said information from said storage medium comprises table of contents information and said detector is activated when said reader accesses table of contents information from said storage medium.

31. A system as recited in claim 30 wherein said local system further comprises:

an information saver in communication with said remote accesser, said information saver saving remote information related to information stored on said storage medium and accessed by said remote accesser from said remote system.

32. A system as recited in claim 27 wherein said local system further comprises:
an information saver in communication with said remote accesser, said information saver saving remote information related to information stored on said storage medium and accessed by said remote accesser from said remote system.

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33. A system as recited in claim 27 further comprising a user selection input in communication with said detector so that when said user selection input is activated said detector is activated to retrieve information from said remote system.

34. A system as recited in claim 33 further comprising designated user selection inputs wherein when said user selection input is identified as at least one of said designated user selection inputs said detector is activated to retrieve information from said remote system.

35. A system as recited in claim 27 wherein said remote accesser accesses the homepage of a singer.

36. A system as recited in claim 27 wherein said information stored on said storage medium comprises a URL address.

37. A system as recited in claim 36 wherein said remote accesser accesses the URL address.

38. A system as recited in claims 27 wherein said local system further comprises URL address information and said remote accesser accesses said remote system using said URL address information.

39. A system as recited in claim 27 wherein said storage medium has table of contents information and said remote accesser accesses said remote system using said table of contents information.

40. A system for obtaining information when a storage medium is accessed comprising:

a remote system;

a storage medium; and

a local system in communication with said remote system, said local system comprising:

a reader that reads information stored on said storage medium;

a detector in communication with said reader;

a local accesser in communication with said detector; said local accesser accessing said local system when said detector is activated.

41. A system as recited in claim 40 further comprising:
a remote accesser in communication with said local accesser; said remote accesser accessing said remote system.

42. A system as recited in claim 40 further comprising:
a remote accesser in communication with said local accesser; said remote accesser accessing said remote system when said local accesser fails.

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43. A method for obtaining information when a storage medium is accessed comprising the steps of:
activating a detector; and
accessing a remote system when said detector is activated.

44. A method as recited in claim 43 wherein said detector is activated when a reader accesses a storage medium.

45. A method as recited in claim 43 wherein said detector is activated when information stored on a storage medium is accessed.

46. A method as recited in claim 43 wherein said detector is activated when a reader accesses table of contents information from a storage medium.

47. A method as recited in claim 46 further comprising the step of saving information accessed from said remote system.

48. A method as recited in claim 43 further comprising the step of saving information accessed from said remote system.

49. A method as recited in claim 43 further comprising the step of receiving a user selection input so that when said user selection input is activated said detector is activated.

50. A method as recited in claim 49 further comprising the step of activating said detector when said user selection input is identified as at least one designated user selection input.

51. A method as recited in claim 43 further comprising the step of accessing the homepage of a singer when said detector is activated.

52. A method as recited in claim 43 wherein a URL address is stored on a storage medium.

53. A method as recited in claim 52 wherein said URL address is accessed on said remote system when said detector is activated.

54. A method for obtaining information when a storage medium is accessed comprising the steps of:

activating a detector; and
accessing a local system when said detector is activated.

55. A method as recited in claim 54 further comprising the step of accessing a remote system.

56. A method as recited in claim 54 further comprising the step of accessing a remote system when said local system cannot be accessed.--

REMARKS

Claims 15-56 are pending in this application. By this Amendment, newly submitted claims 27-56 are offered to clearly define the invention of the present application and arguments are submitted differentiating the invention of the present application as recited in the claims from the cited prior art.

Rejection of claims 15-26 under 35 U.S.C. §§ 102 or 103

In the outstanding Office Action claims 15-26 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. §102 as being anticipated or in the alternative under 35 U.S.C. §103 as being obvious in view Inai (U.S. Patent No. 6,055,565); Hosoe (U.S. Patent No. 6,047,376); Ozaki et al. (U.S. Patent No. 5,991,798); or Dunworth et al. (U.S. Patent No. 5,930,474).